

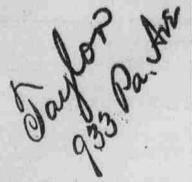
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GRANT MAKES A RALLY

He Partakes of Liquid Nourishment with a Relish-He Moves About

Cheerful.

Bulletins.

New Your, April 4—9:30 a. m.—General Grant awoke, after a continuous sleep of eight hours, and related in a incid and humorous manner his dream while under the influence of the anodyne. He feels refreshed and cheerful and asked for a cap of coffice. His pulse is the same.

J. H. Douglas, M. D. Geo, F. Shrady, M. D. Geo, F. Shrady, M. D. Special Dispatch to the Eventua Chitro.

New Your, April 4, 8:30 a. m.—General

New York, April 4, 8:30 a. m.—General Grant arose at 8 o'clock this morning from his obair, where he has slep and dozed intermittingly during the night He seemed to be refreshed and more cheer-ful than yesterday.

ful than yesterday.

New York, April 4—9 a. m.—General Grant continues to improve. Dr. Shrady, who just left the house, says the General is resting comfortably in his easy chair. Dr. Douglass has decided not to Issue any more bulletins until Dr. Shrady returns.

New York, April 4—11:30 a. m.—The improvement which the last statement suggested in General Grant conditions.

improvement which the last statement suggested in General Grant's condition continues. He takes nourishment regularly and without trouble. Since taking his coffee this morning he had strong nourishment. Twice the throat has been attended to and the difficulty with the circulation, which began to trouble him, has been allayed. He walked with a firm step into the adjoining room to have his mouth cleaned. He is now resting quietly in his easy chair. His pulse continues steady and quite full.

Special Dispatch to THE EVENING CRITIC.

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NEW YORK, April 4—12 m.—General
Grant is now resting quietly in his easy
chair. His pulse is about same as yesterday.
He has had strong liquid nourishment
twice this morning. His throat has been
attended to, and the irritation, which began to trouble him again, has been silayed. gan to trouble him again, has been silayed.

New York, April 4—130 p. m.—General
Grant has been very quiet since last report.
He has taken nouriahment regularly. His
pulse is 72. He is not complaining of his
throat. The accumulation of mucas is
easily removed by gargling, without other
medication. He moves from room to room,
when required, without trouble. He is
now resting easily.

J. H. Douglas, M. D.

The General Peeling Quite Strong. New York, April 4.—Last night was an one for General Grant. He slept quietly in his chair, with his feet resting on a stool, from shortly before 11 o'clock last night until 6 this morning. He was much refreshed by his sleep of seven hours,

much refreshed by his sleep of seven hours, mubroken save when gently roused to take nourishment at regular intervals. During the early morning the patient had several fins of coughing. His breathing during the neight was free.

Ulysses S. Grant, Jr., came from the St. Cloud Hotel at 7 o'clock this morning. Dr. Shrady stated to a reporter of the United Press that it was nothing less than a miracle that the General should have lived so long and be in the condition he is. Drs. Shrady and Douglass remained at the patient's bedside almost constantly throughout the night. His curses, Harrison and Henry, were also in attendance. There was no need of their services, nowever.

Colonel Fred Grant was up the greater portion of the night, dividing his time between the sick-room and the adjoing apartment. The other members of the family retired early in the night, at the suggestion of the physicians, who assured them that there was no danger.

General Grant expressed himself as feeling quite strong to day, and the gloom of cloudy, dismal day does not seem to affect him in the least. In speaking the physicians say bis voice is clear and distinct.

MORE EASTER MUSIC. Holy Cross Church.

At 7:30 a. m., holy eucharist; 9:45 a. m., morning prayer; 11 a. m., choral celebration, processional hymn 134, A. & M.; introit, To Deum (Barnby); "Kyrie" (Tours), in F.
"Gioria" (Hopkins), "Credo" (Merbeeke);
offertory, anthem, "Christ being raised"
(Webb); "Sarson Coda" (Stainer); "Sanctus" (Tours), in F. "Renedictus" (Redhead);
"Agnus Dei" (Merbecke); "Gloria in Excelsia" (Tours), in F. "Nunc Dimittis,"
chant; recessional hymn 155, A. & M.
Evensong at 4:30 p. m. Mann's "Magnificat" will be sung by the choir. J. A.
Harrold, rector; G. W. Evans, presentor; C.
E. Doyle, organist. um (Barn

"THANKS!" REMARKED SMITH, When He was Given Nine Months in Jail for Manslaughter.

James Smith, the youth who was con victed last Wednesday for manslaughter in causing the death of Elmer Rollins by stabbing him in Georgetown last Christmas day, was up for sentence to-day. The prisoner's face wore a frightened look until the sentence was pronounced, when it re-laxed into a broad grin. The sentence was nine months in jail. Smith evidently ex-pected a much longer term, and that in the penitentiary.

"Thauks," said the prisoner, as he walked out.

out. "Your Honor, I neglected to ask the pris-"Your Honor, I neglected to ask the pris-oner if he had snything to say why sen-tence should not be pronounced, etc.," sug-gested an officer of the court.

"Oh, I guess he is too well pleased," replied the Court.

"He looks as if he had received a hand-

some present," remarked District Attorney Worthington.

NO MERCY TO BE SHOWN. Unlicensed Commercial Agents to

Be Arrested.
The Commissioners have formally declared war against the commercial agents who have not taken out their licenses, and no mercy will be shown them. The license no mercy will be shown them. The licensa tax on this class of business is \$200 and it has always been resisted. The Commissioners have ordered License Agent Dunnivan to take into custody all such persons doing business without licenses. Detectives Raff and Block nave also been detailed to enforce the law. The officers have been instructed to not stop at one prosecution, if the defendant, after being tried in Police Court, appealed, but to institute a new proceeding for every subseatitute a new proceeding for every subsequent day after the trial that they continue

Men's Spring-Weight Underwear. Full lines of the above goods just received at Keep's, 157 Seventh street northwest.

Minister Jarvis Qualifies. Ex-Governor Jarvis of North Carolina malified to-day as Minister to Brazil.

A CIVIL-SERVICE TRIUMPH.

The Premetion of Mr. Garrison to Be Deputy First Comptroller. The promotion of Mr. John R. Garrison to be Deputy, First Comptroller of the Treasury meets with the most hearty ap-

proval in the Department.

An carnest effort has been made to emphasize the distinction between the positions of chiefs of bureaus and their deputies. Civil-Service reformers have conceded that the chiefs of bureaus are not protected in their positions, but claim that the deputies are. Under the old Treasury organization, each bureau had a chief clerk, who generally had the detail and routine knowledge of the workings of the bureau, and retained his place despite the changes in the head of the office.

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place despite the changes in the head of the office.

These men almost uniformly rose from low-grade clerkships, and were officials of long experience. When the Treasury reorganization took place some years ago the grade of chief clerk was done away with in most bureaus, and that of deputy chief was substituted. The duties remained unchanged, and the incumbents of the former position were in most instances appointed to the latter. The Treasury deputy chiefs are, as a rule, cilicient and experienced officials, and men of integrity and ability, Deputy Comptroller Tarbell was one of the few who had not risen from the ranks, and was regarded as a political appointee.

The reformers did not object to seeing him displaced, but were very anxious that an efficient subordinate should be promoted to succeed him. They are entirely satisfied with the result, as Mr. Garrison's promotion was made purely on his merits. Mr. Garrison was a chief of division in the bureau and is thoroughly acquainted with its workings. He is a competent official and skillful lawyer. He has been in the Department since 1863. His selection was influenced by no political or personal considerations, as he declined to apply or furnish political informents for the position. He has always been a Republican, although rarely voting.

THE PRESIDENT'S REASONS

"I think that I can throw some light on nalist to a Carrie man.

"Ah, proceed to unfold."
"Some years ago when Mr. Cleveland was
Mayor of Buffalo a number of his enemies
organized a conspiracy to oust him. One
thing they did was to draw up a petition
requesting him to resign. Knowing how
good-natured business men generally are in
the matter of signing petitions, never reading them but signing whenever asked, they
task the petition around to a number of
Cleveland's own friends. Sure enough,
they all put their names down on being
saked.

"When the petition came to Mayor Cleve-land he was considerably surprised to find the names of many of his best friends on the paper. Now, you know that Mr. Clove-land is not a man to do anything hastily. He did not jump to the conclusion that his friends had become disgusted with him. He suspected that there was some mistake. He sent for some of his friends whose names were on the petition, and then he found that they had been entirely ignorant of what they were doing when they signed the paper. That little incident clearly proved to Mr. Cleveland that numerously-signed petitions are of no value; and that's why the mentioned ones and those with miles of names supporting them are not in favor with this Administration."

prepared by his predecessor. Secretary Ecutwell, which had now been in use fifteen years, and he did not think had been improved upon by the new form adopted He did not desire, however, to be understood as criticising the new authorities in the Department.

The taking oftestimony in this famous case was concluded to-day. Since last November the examination of witnesses and the submission of documentary evidence has been in progress before Judge William Strong as arbitrator.

Strong as arbitrator.

After the lapse of a quarter of a century, the appearance as witnesses of old and decrepid sailors, now too old for the soa, from different sections of the country, has been something wonderful, but this is in great measure due to the extensive publicity given the case in The Carrie in November last.

The printed testimony covers about 2,000 pages, and from those familiar therewith, we are assured that very soldom, if ever, was any case better proven and that there can be no doubt of a heavy award in favor of the claimant.

Harrios Misrepresented.

Senor Antonio Batres, the newly-accredited Minister Plenipotentiary from the republics of Guatemala and Honduras, arrived at New York from Guatemala yesterday. Senor Batres is well-known in diplomatic circles at Washington, where he formerly represented San Salvador, Nicaragus and Honduras. He has lately been the Guatemalan Secretary of State. He areaks English fluently and expressed the speaks Eeglish fluoutly and expressed the pleasure be felt in returning to this coun-try, where he has many friends. He says that Barrios has been greatly misrepresented in this country, and denies that he is opposed to the Nicaraguau Canal.

Temperance Meetings.

A gospel temperance meeting will be held at Jouadab Hall, 1930 Fourteenth street northwest, between R and Corroran streets, Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Mr. George Hilton, the popular and eloquent speaker, will address the meeting. Good music.

At Gurley Chapel, Seventh street and Boundary, a gospel temperance meeting will be held to-morrow ovening at 7:19. Good speakers will address the meeting and appropriate music will be rendered.

A dispatch from Lexington says: "Tecretary of State and other State office

who went to Rowan County to investigate the troubles there, returned last evening and report a very bad state of affairs. They think they will be able to effect a compro-mise between the factions which will se-cure peace. It is probable, however, that the trouble will never be settled until State troops are sent to quell it." Domestic Infelicity

Indefinitely Postponed. President Cleveland has indefinitely postponed the general evening reception to the public at the White House swing to the critical condition of General Grant.

ROW ABOUT A NOMINATION

BELLIGERENT RENTUCKIAN

Ray Bowd Accuses the Hon. Oscar Turner of Prejudicing the President's Mind Against Hlm-Gorel

There is talk of something that resem-

There is talk of something that resembles gore to-day. Mr. Boyd of Kentucky wanted to be United States Minister to Chill. As the report goes, his application had been favorably considered by the President. So favorable was that consideration that his momination had been made out and signed by the President ready for transmission to the Senate.

That it was not sent is of course known. It appears that the President was told that Mr. Boyd had been indicted for either burglary or larceny, and that he had gotten off on his trial-by means not exactly in accordance with regular judicial procedure. Mr. Boyd was under the impression that the information mentioned had been given to the President by Mr. Oscar Turner of Kentucky, who was a member of the late House. Although Mr. Boyd's nomination did not go to the Senate as Minister to Chill, Mr. Buck's nomination as Minister to Chill, Mr. Buck's nomination as Minister to Chill, Mr. Buck's nomination as Minister to Peru did go in.

Last night Mr. Boyd met Mr. Turner at the Metropolitan Hotel. He at once charged him with being the cause of his non-appointment. Mr. Turner is a lame and ciderly gentleman.

Mr. Boyd abused him roundly. He called him a gray-haired old — — — Mr. Turner said nothing in reply, it is understood, except to mantion his son to say that he had not furnished the President any information about Mr. Boyd. Afterward Mr. Turner's son and Mr. Boyd met. The young man, who is about 23 years of age, told Mr. Boyd that he had insulted his father.

Mr. Boyd said: "I called him a gray-haired — — and I repeat it. You can have what satisfaction you want."

The young man said that he wanted nothing then and there, but would pursue the course that he thought best in the matter. This looked like developments. But as yet there has been no challenge, that could be heard of. And there will probably be no challenge that will be heard of gory spots on the horizon.

Eut a number of people who know of the affair of last night were looking to-day for gory spots on the horizon.

tion to the next Congress.

The alleged burglary or larceny on the part of Mr. Boyd consisted, years ago, of a little lark, in which be, with no malice aforethought, or intent, broke a druggist's window and took a bottle from it.

INDICTMENTS AGAINST CARRIGAN. His Counsel Files Demurrers.

Daniel Carrigan was before the Crimina court this morning to plead to five indictments, charging him with presenting false vouchers to the Eureau of Medicine and Surgery of the Navy Department. His counsel, Mr. H. B. Moulton, filed demurrars

counsel, Mr. H. B. Moulton, filed demurrers similar to those filed in the Drew and Dempsey cases.

Judge MacArthur inquired if any of the cases were to be tried before the warm season. Mr. Worthington said that Starday next was fixed for the argument of the demurrers to the indictments against Mesers. Drew and Dempsey, and if the indictments were sustained, he would ask the Court to fix an early day for trial. When these cases are disposed of, the case of Carrigan will immediately follow.

low.

The cases against Carrigan and Kirk-wood, indicted jointly in seven other cases, will come on for trial next Monday.

THE METHODIST PROTESTANTS.

The President Receives Them. The Maryland Conference of Methodist Protestants, numbering about two hundred, arrived at the Baltimore & Potomac Depot about noon to-day on a special train from Alexandria.

They proceeded to the White House in a body, and were presented to the President by the president of the conference, Rev. Dr. J. T. Murray. After the reception at the White House, the conference dispersed, some returning to their homes, and the others remaining to take a tour through

ROSSIA'S REPLY.

Excitement in London Over the

LONDON, April 4.—Mr. Gladstone and his colleagues in the Cabinet assembled early this morning at the Premier's official residence in Downing street to consider the re-ply of M. DeGiers, the Russian Minister of Foreign Affairs, to the proposals recently forwarded by the English Government to St. Petersburg in regard to the Afghan question. At I o'clock the council was still

In acssion.

It is believed that there has been seriou-dissensions and a wide difference of opics ion concerning the manner of treating this last Russian note. All sorts of wild rumors are in circulation with regard to the proceedings of the meetings, and speculation as to the outcome is freely indulged in. The announcement of the result is anxiously awaited.

BALTIMORE, MD., April 4.—Forty armed and mounted men ransacked all Baltimore County last night, searching for Howard Cooper, the young negro who assaulted Miss Kate Gray. The 20-year-old daughter of Mr. D. C. Gray of Rockland. The pursuers are all young farmers, and carry with them twenty feet of half-inch heng.

The Sheriff's officers are with them, but will hardly be able to restrain the young men's vengeance if Cooper is caught. Cooper's victim is a remarkably bright and beautiful young woman and is the belie of

beautiful young woman and is the belle of the rural district where she lives. Thursday afternoon Birs Gray with her slater Susie wont to the railroad station, a mile from the house, where Susie took the train. Kate was returning when Cooper

mile from the house, whore Susie took, the train. Kate was returning when Cooper overtook her, and after a desperate struggle dragged her to a socialed ravine, where after struggling until exhausted she fainted. On her recovering Cooper raised a club and was about to kill her, when her cries brought to the scene her large shephard dog, the house being not far away.

The dog ferociously attacked Cooper, who ran away. The girl then staggeted toward the house, but fell in a faint. The barking of the saithful dog, however, attracted the attention of the family, and Miss Gray was taken home. Mr. Gray at one took a gun and rode to the village enlisting every able-bodied man to search for the scoundrel. Late at night they tracked the negro to a hut in the woods near by, but Cooper, managed to escape in the darkness. Eight shots were fired at him, but none took effect, and he got away; but the search is still kept up, and Cooper will be lynched when caught.

The Sasquebanna ice Gorge.

The Susquehanna Ice Gorge. Hannishung, Pa., April 4.—The great ice gorge on the west brauch of the Sasque-banns, just west of Lockhaven, is still in-tact at So'clock this morning. The river south of Williamsport is clear of ice, and cout innes to rise.

THIS MORNING'S CONFERENCE.

Reports Read and Adopted. Special Dispatch to THE EVENING CRITICS ALEXANDRIA, VA., April 4.—The session of the conference to day was opened with

prayer by C. S. Arnett. Rev. Mr. Cowin, Sunday-school editor: S. J. Legan of the West Virginia Confer-

Rev. Mr. Cowin, Sunday-school editor:

S. J. Legan of the West Virginia Conference, and Rev. Simons of the Virginia Conference, and Rev. Simons of the Virginia Conference were introduced to this confirence.

Rev. S. B. Sanderland presented the report of the Committee on Intincasey and Orders, stating that J. H. Dougherty, J. W. Norris, G. H. Cowen and C. H. Day passed to the second year class; S. T. Casson passed to third year. J. M. Gill was recommended for orders. Rev. J. W. Kirk was marked 100 upon the whole course by all examiners. Rev. D. L. Greenfield, J. W. Griy and A. W. Mathers were elected members of itinerancy, the latter to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Rev. F. T. Tags.

Thomas Alba Lloyd, Thomas E. D. Davis and Eddie H. Vandyke are recommended as suitable persons to receive aid from the Board of Ministerial Education.

Rev. S. B. Sunderland also presented the report of the committee on orders and itinerancy. Recommended for literancy—Rev. C. R. Bades of South Carolins; C. A. Ohrum, B. W. Kindley and J. W. Kirk. Recommended for orders. Rev. J. M. Gill, The following persons are recommended for orders, provided they pass astifactory examination by the president Revs. Lowis Finley and Samuel Brown, Charleston, S. C. and Revs. Samuel Snipes and William Alexander of Berkley, S. C.

The reports were read by sections, and adopted.

A letter was read by the secretary from the Rev. C. O. Melville, who was without a charge, begging leave to surrender his credentials to the Conference. The request was granted.

The resolution presented yesterday, that

codentials to the Conference. The request was granted.

The resolution presented yesterday, that no minister shall be appointed to a place for a period exceeding four years, unless by a two-third vote of the Conference, was taken from the table and dobated at length. The resolution was again laid over and made the special order for Meuday, at 10

Rev. R. S. Rowe submitted a report of the committee on the President's report. The report stated that the church property at Clear Spring had been disposed of, and on motion a special agent was ordered to be appointed to dispose of church property in the future when such property was not used for worship. A provision that the secretary shall keep a record of the wives of ministers, dates of marriage, death, etc., was adopted.

Roys. C. R. Blade, C. A. Ohrum and J. W. Kirk were then presented and received into the conference as members by the president.

Rev. W. J. Neeper, by request, was tran-

ferred from supernumerary to the active

To-morrow morning after service was fixed as the time for confirmation services. Rev. C. H. Middleton was granted leave of absence, and to be without appointment

of absence, and to be without appointment for one year.

The request of Rev. W. T. Roberts to be left without appointment for one year was granted.

A resolution was adopted that the next meeting of the conference shall be held on the first Wednesky in April, 1889.

The members of the conference immediately after adjournment proceeded to the Alexandria and Fredericksburg depot and took a special -rain for Washington, where they will call on President Cleveland in a bedy.

There will be no session of the conference The Ministerial Association will hold a meeting in the church to-night.

Another Skating-Rink Romance.

Philadelphia, Pa., April 4.—John Nobre, son of a well-known politiciae, was employed as instructor in the Olympian Skating Rink. An attachment grew up between him and Nellie Austin, agirl who frequented the rink. Observing the intimacy the manager protested to Nobre, who therenpon disappeared from the rink. Wednesday it was learned that Nobre was secreted in the house of Nellie's mother. Mrs. Nancy Jones. She was not lifed to send the youth home, but disregarded the warning, and Thursday she and Nellie were arrested on the charge of harboring a minor. No evidence was offered and they were committed to Moyamonsing prison for a further hearing. Nobre, though a mere boy, is married. The matter has caused quite a scandal. Another Skating-Rink Bomance.

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Special Dispatch to The Evertino Cartic.

New York, April 4.—Mr. Stephen J.

Meany, assistant counsel for Barton and
Conningham, the alleged dynamiters, salled
for England this morning by the White Star
steamer Britannic, having been suddenly
summoned by cable owing to new phases in
the Crown's tactics. Last week he was in
Washington and had interviews with the
President and Secretary Bayard, to whom
he was instroduced by Hon. S. S. Cox. He
has strong hopes of being able to prove an
alibi for his clients.

Traces of Ex-Governor Fletcher. Traces of Ex-Governor Fletcher.

St. Louis, April 4.—The family and friends of the missing ex-Governor Flotcher have received information which will probably lead to a discovery of his whereshouts to-day. Mr. Flotcher has been at Fort Ringgold, Texas, and has telegraphed a friend in San Antonio that he will be at the latter place Sunday.

A Strange Address from Bonaparte. Paris, April 4.—Prince Jerome Boua-parte has issued an address to his supporters in the Chamber of Deputies, urging them to avoid playing into the hands of the Rayat-

Ex-Secretary Frelinghuysen New York, April 4.—The San says that ex-Secretary Frelinghuysen is seriously ill.

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

vania.

Commander R. D. Evans has relieved Commander Cases as lighthouse inspector for the Ballimore district.

Mrs. Cox. the mother of Minister S. S. Cox. was thought to be dying yesterday, and nor same sarred for her besides in Onio.

Jefferson Davis is not dangerously ill, al-though confined with rheumatism and the breaking out of an old wound in the foot. V. O. Prince, as the Boston Herald learns, is booked by Mr. Bayard for a mission.

Senator Gorman of Maryland is arranging for a Southern trip of a forthight or longer. Twenty-two professional taseball men have died within a year.

Mr. Jay Ooske, the well-known and popular young banker and broker of this city, re-turned to-day from a visit to New York.

FEELING STRONGER AND BETTER

His Room, and Appears

Bulletius.

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New TABLE LINENS.

New EMBROIDERIES.

New PONGEE ROBES. We have received 50 more of those hand-some. Pongee Silk Embroidered Robes, consisting of 19 yards plain material, 4% yards wide Embroidery, 1% yards surrow Embroidery, embroidered in Snaded Brown, Cardinal, Bige and self-color. Only \$12.50 per robe.

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The Elberon, in 14 colors; Pine Bro-cades and Silk Velvets, in exquisite de-signs and colorings. Merino, Balbriggan, Lisle thread and Bils, for Men, Women and Children, at lowest possible prices. Cambric Night Robes, Chemise, Corset Covers, etc.

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Then w shall have our GRAND SPRING OPENING

Double Combination Store which will be a grand event. In the mean-time we shall offer some fresh and elegant Novelties, just arrived.

Although we are in the extreme part of the Eastern Section of our city, we can offer as great a variety in stock and prices as any of the so-called leading houses up town, One grand beauty of our style of catering to the public is that we do not copy from any one. Our ideas are our own. There are many imi-tations, but their originalities are very title.

Now, see what we have for you this week, commencing from to-day 'April 3; and con-tinuing the balance of the week.

171 doz. Ladies' S-rubber Lisie Lace Gloves, 5c. One pair or a dozen. We do not supulate the quantity. I case Tarkish Towels, 4c. Beases new Spring Prints, fast colors, 4c. I case ine Shirting, Fercale Finish, 44c. 2 cases Manchester Foulards, yard wide, ¹⁹C. I case best Indigo Prints, 7c. I case Calcutta Indigo Dress Ginghams, 8¹-2².

(See what they ask you up town for these.)

2 cases Irving Staple Ginghams, something
w. 5c. ase Genuine Lonsdale Cambric, 10c.

i case S-4 Sheeting, Bleached, 14c. 1 case to 4 Sheeting, Bleached, 14c. 1 case 10-4 Sheeting, Bleached, 18c. 10 pieces best Olled Table Linen, full width, 10 pieces best Ciled Table Linen, full width, file.
57 dex. Ladies' Full gauge Balbriggan Hose, 19c.
40 dex. Beys' Pleated Shirt Waists, 4 to 10 years of age, 25c. Warranted perfect it.
20 dexen Boys' Pleated Servucker Waists, 4 to 10 years of age, 25c.
100 dexen Ladies' fine Stockinette Worsted Jerseys, in black, 85c. These are beautiful Hilling goods.
55 dex. Ladies' the Pleated Black, 84th Ribboth, black only, 81.20. These are no Souvenir prices, but what you want until sold out.
15 gross of Roys' Francy Sallor Collare, finest quality Percale, 9c.
5 gross Ladies' Cape Collars, all linen, 0c.
5 gross Ladies' Einen Cuffs, 9c.
1 case Misses' French Mixed Hose, large 12c. 6c.

size, 6c.

1 case Boys' Lawn Tennis French Hose, full regular, 12%c. Can any competitor fill that bill?

bill:

B dozen Large Size Brussels Rugs, 51c.

1 lot Worsted Fringe for Lambrequins, 10c.
100 26 Inch Heavy Parages Frame Sik Umprelias, benulles, \$1.00; black and brown,
200 Ceaching Paranels, all the best shades, d cases Misses' Fancy Trimmed Straw Sall-re, 23c.; garnet ecru, navy bine, brown and All our Short Ends will be sold way down in price. A new lot will be ready for our next The not fall to notice our Grand Carpet, Mat-ting and Oil Cloth Sales. That is one of our new departures.

TW SPECIAL NOTICE, Our Milinery Par-lor, although not yet complete, is only pushed with great velocity, and will be under the management of Muo, Mazel Zoscin, for many years connected with Muo, Paimer's.

East Washington Combination Store,

A. KAUFMAN'S

1241 ELEVENTH ST. SOUTHEAST HANDSOME EASTER SOUVENIES.

FOR APRIL.

912 D Street

719 Market Space. Our Black Goods buyer has just returned from the Eastern Markets, and we are now

prepared to show all the latest Novelties of Our Special \$1 50 Black Silk would be cheap at \$2. Don't fail to see it before pur

chasing.

Black Velvet Grenadines, figured and striped. Large stock of Black and White Pongee, 8-inch, only \$1.25 per yard. Embroidered Surah : something new. Crape de Chine; Plain and Embroidered

things, to all of which we invite attention

No Trouble to Show Goods.

Escurial Grenadine, and many other new

E. G. DAVIS

8th st. and Market Space. The Solicitorship of Internal Rev

The resignation of the Solicitorship of Internal Revenue, Mr. Cheeley, has been requested and has been tendered to the Attorney-General.
It is supposed that ex-Congressman Tal-bot of Maryland was promised the position. General Swaim's Complaint.

It is understood General Swaim has com-plained to the President that he was ille-gally treated and has asked that his case be reopened. Barries Defeated. Senor Peralta, the Costa Rica Minister, re schor feraita, the Costa frica aimater, re-ceived late yesterday evening the follow-ing telegram from M. Gallegos, the Secre-tary of State of Salvador, dated at the headquarters of the Salvadorcau army-Santa Anna, April 3—Yesterday we ob-tained a splendid victory at Chalchuapa over Barrios."

The famous Claghorn collection of engrav-ings, etchiege and megasithis was sold last night in Fhiladelphia to Mr. Robert Garrot, president of the Battimere & Onto Ballroad, for \$150,600. It is the finest private collec-tion in this country, and probably in the world. Tickers for the Elka' promenade concert can be had of the members of the lodge and at Brentano's.

An Important Art Sale.

Dime Museum. The great sensational play of "Undor the Gaslight" will be presented at Barton & Logan's Dime Museum on Mondayand two following days, afternoon and night. New scenery, surprising and starting tableaux. Thursday, 'Friday and Saturday, "Raised From the Ashes," will be the attraction.

Why He is not Influenced by Peti

the reason why office-seekers backed by long petitions find little favor from the President," remarked a well-known jour-"Ah, proceed to unfold.

When the petition came to Mayor Cleve

Sensior Sherman and the Debt Statement.

Sensior Sherman being asked if he had seen the new debt statement issued by Secretary Manning replied that both had been sent him and naturally he had scanned the new forms to see if any additional information was given by the change. If is experience while Secretary of the Treasury had impressed him favorably with the form of the debt statement which had been prepared by his predecessor. Secretary

Pelletier Vs. Hayti.

Barries Misrepresented.

The Kentucky Hostilities.

is often averted by economy. Study your interest. Go to Brodhead & Co.'s for bargains. Audrescoggin Cotton, 7[c.: monogram 4-button Kids, \$1: hip gore Corsets, 25c.; royal Cashmeres, 12[c.: Canton Flannel, 5c.: Monarch bound bosom Shirts, 25c. Brodhead & Co., 997 F street.

The Largest Stock

of picture frame mouldings, 411 7th street,

ists by voting to dissolve the Chamber.

Fifth Auditor Alexander will leave Washington for his home at Indianapolis within a week after being relieved of his official duties. He will practice law.

Senator Harrison started to Indianapolis this afternoon at 2 dd o clock over the Fennayl.

- Mr. Hondriess, the Vice-President, and his wife intend to go to Europe during the summer.

The Philadelphia Times was an article on Mechanical Easter Art. "Mechanical Faster Act."
It to said that ex-Semator Hill has ounk at least \$100,000 in nowspapers in Octorado.
Thirreen hundred houses were built last year in Washington at a cost of \$1,000,000.
Secretary Manning and his wife were in New York city yesterday. Mr. Manning went to Greystone to call on Mr. Tileden, and, on returning, had an interview with Henry Watterson, and, later, left for Albany with Mrs. Manning.

Manning.
Stater of Oregon is said to be the coming Second Comptroller of the Treasury.